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SUBJECT: FCIA CREDIT INSURANCE TO COVER SALE OF WHEAT TO
MINOTERIE DE MATADI S.A.R.L. (MIDEMA)

REF: STATE 64245

1. WE HAVE DISCUSSED REFTTEL WITH MIDEMA MANAGER FLUCKIGER WHO
CONFIRMED OUR UNDERSTANDING THAT LETTER SIGNED BY GOVERNOR SAMBWA
APRIL 12, 1976, WHEREBY CENTRAL BANK STATED THAT IT WOULD MAKE
MONTHLY FOREIGN EXCHANGE ALLOCATION TO MIDEMA OF \$3 MILLION,
WAS INTENDED TO PROVIDE APPROXIMATELY \$2 MILLION TO MEET ZAIRIAN
MONTHLY WHEAT REQUIREMENTS AND APPROXIMATELY \$1 MILLION TO REDUCE
ARREARAGES.

2. FLUCKINGER CONFIRMED THAT GOZ MADE PAYMENTS OF ONLY \$3 MILLION
FOR TWO MONTHS. MONTHLY PAYMENTS SINCE THAT TIME HAVE RANGED FROM
NIL TO MAXIMUM OF \$2 MILLION AND IMPORTS HAVE BEEN GENERALLY
CONSISTENT WITH FOREIGN EXCHANGE ALLOCATIONS AS MIDEMA DECIDED NOT
TO INCREASE ARREARAGES. ALLOCATIONS FOR FEBRUARY AND MARCH
1978 HAVE BOTH BEEN FOR \$2 MILLION.

3. FYI: 1978 PL-480 TITLE I ALLOCATION, TENTATIVELY APPROVED FOR
ZAIRE, PROVIDES FOR 20,000 TONS OF WHEAT. IN ADDITION, CANADIAN
GOVERNMENT IS EXPECTED TO PROVIDE 13,000 TONS ON CONCESSIONARY
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BASIS. COMMERCIAL VALUE OF THESE CONCESSIONARY SHIPMENTS FROM
U.S. AND CANADA WILL TOTAL APPROXIMATELY \$7 MILLION AND THUS
WILL SIGNIFICANTLY REDUCE ZAIRE'S COMMERCIAL IMPORT REQUIREMENTS.
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